



Docket No.: 46171-026

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

James Kelly THOMAS, et al.

Application No.: 10/046,911

Filed: January 17, 2002

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**AMENDMENT**

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The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action dated April 11, 2003. Please amend the above-identified application as follows. The claims are presented in the revised amendment format described in the Pre-OG Notice dated January 31, 2003, regarding waiver of the current provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.121(a)-1.121(d).